

Chariton Courier.

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KEYTESVILLE, MISSOURI

The Kaiser wants war, but not too much at a time.

It now develops that Panama has a yellow fever just like Philadelphia's.

Not half so much life can come from radium and bouillon as from mint julep. Ever try it?

NCT being able to get a vindication from the president Mr. Bowen will fix one for himself.

MAYBE CASTRO has an idea that if he likes this country he will annex it. You cannot guess Cassy.

If Oyama "lands" that other blow for which he is squaring off an armistice will hardly be necessary.

It is believed that the "colonels" of Georgia will one day outnumber the "LL. D.'s of Massachusetts.

JIM JEFFRIES has at last met some one who is "mightier" than he. His "wife" will not let him fight any more.

ANYBODY showing a card saying "I have been employed by Mr. Roosevelt" can get a "fat job" in New York.

On its arrival in Washington the "dove of peace" should be inspected to make sure that it does not wear spurs.

JAPAN has fixed the "price" for a plain, ordinary peace, but if Russia wants any frills thrown in it must pay more.

CANNOT President Roosevelt exert himself a little and bring the Franco-German war to a close before it starts?

GENERAL WOOD says the men he shot at Samar came from Borneo. Ever here of the wild man of Borneo? He never dies.

As might have been expected it now appears that the czar's promise of a national assembly had a "string tied to it."

"Is Mr. Roosevelt sincere?" asks a New Yorker. He can find out by asking Mr. Roosevelt. We won't run the risk.

UNCLE SAM will not allow Colombia to make "Panama" pay part of Colombia's debt, as Uncle Sam has a deficit already.

ANOTHER man sees the dawn of Russian freedom. Some men are seeing this so often that it is getting to be a habit with them.

ONE reason why ignorance is so common in Russia is that the czar will not allow the newspapers to print anything worth reading.

"PEACE" is something with which the czar has had so little experience that he approaches a discussion of it with natural diffidence.

OF course if President Roosevelt can think of any more good points possessed by Secretary Morton he can issue a "supplement" to his vindication.

KING OSCAR of Norway and Sweeden wishes to be known as one who strives to please, but he doesn't want to go through life with only "half a crown" on his head. What would the neighbors say?

PAUL MORTON is said to enjoy hard work. Considering that he has ahead of him the job of separating some of the Equitable society's officials from their illegitimate profits this is exceedingly fortunate.

If Mr. Dalrimple were to express himself frankly about the possibilities of reform he would probably suggest that the first thing Chicago ought to do is to hold a prayer-meeting as Philadelphia did.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL

what She wanted. A little girl stood in a city meat market waiting for some one to attend to her wants. Finally the proprietor was at liberty, approached her and said benignly:

"Is there anything you would like, little girl?"

"O, yes, sir, please. I want a diamond ring and sealskin sacque, a real nobleman and a pug dog and a box at the opera, and O, ever so many other things! But all ma wants is 10 cents' worth of bologna."—Centralia Courier.

Conundrums.

Why did the lobster blush? Because he saw the salad dressing.

What is it that is bought by the yard and worn by the foot? A carpet.

On which tree has fire no effect? The ash, because even if burned it is "ash" still.

If ladies were cast adrift on the sea where would they steer for? The Isle of Man.

When does a son not take after his father? When his father leaves him nothing to take.

Why is a naughty boy like an old chair? Because a good caning would do them both good.

Why is a postage stamp a most unfortunate thing? Though it sticks to its duties to the letter, it gets its head punched, its face disfigured and a good licking.

THE STATE FAIR.

No Intoxicants, No Gambling, No Fakes.

No intoxicants have ever been sold on the Missouri state fair grounds. This regulation will be strictly enforced at the coming annual exhibition. No immoral shows are permitted on the grounds. No gambling or gambling device will be tolerated. All concessions are granted and privileges sold on condition that the public is to be treated fairly. Any attempt at extortion, or the practice of dishonest or disreputable methods, will work a revocation of license and the expulsion of grantee from the grounds.

The board of directors is determined to use the state fair for annual exhibitions of our magnificent herds and a display of the products of our soil and the handiwork and skill of our women, and not as a rendezvous where fakes and swindlers may defraud the public, and where gambling, intoxicants and cheap vaudeville attractions with questionable features may demoralize young and susceptible visitors.

The board would make the state fair a place where Missourians may meet for entertainment and recreation, for social intercourse, for a discussion of their interests; where they may learn more of one another, more of the state and its resources, more of its history, its achievements and its possibilities. The public is invited to attend the fifth annual exhibition August 21-26 with the assurance that all disreputable features will be eliminated and the high moral standard of the past fully maintained.

PROBATE SETTLEMENT DOCKET

August, 1905, Term.

Table listing probate settlements for August 1905, Term, including names of administrators and estates.

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Grain Wanted.

We will again be in the market at Dalton this season for all kinds of grain. Get our prices before you sell.

MYERS & KEYSER.

STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, Lucas County. FRANK J. CHENEY makes oath that he is the proprietor of the drug store known as the 'CATHARTH CURE' in the City of Toledo, Ohio, doing business in the City of Toledo, Ohio, and State of Ohio, and that the said drug store will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of CATARRH that cannot be cured by the use of HALL'S CATHARTH CURE.

Advertisement for Hall's Catharth Cure, including a testimonial and contact information for F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O.

REAL ESTATE & LOANS.

Among a lot of others I have the following farms for sale in Chariton County, Mo. If there is not in this list just what you wish, I will take pleasure in describing other property which may suit you, and would be glad to have you call on or write to me:

I have all the 5 per cent money to loan on farms that can be used in the county, and if the security is ample and the title right, can close a loan in very short time and at the lowest commission offered in the County. Fire insurance in the best companies. Abstracts of title at lowest rates and in best form. Farms to rent, or will find tenant for you if you wish to rent your farm. Taxes paid and rents collected for non-residents. Notary Public. If you wish to sell your farm, list it now. If you wish to buy a farm, I can save you money. Farms in Oklahoma and Arkansas to exchange for farms in this County.

No. 33. 283 1-2 acres—60 acres corn, 55 acres open bottom pasture, 45 acres tame hay, 115 acres upland timber blue-grass. Post and wire fence, good; 2 acres orchard, 5 wells, 1 spring, 1 dwelling, 2-story, 16x30, ell 16x20, newly painted; 1 dwelling 16x24, tenant; 1 barn 50x50, old; a new barn 32x40x16. Encumbered for \$2,300 due in 1905 at 5 per cent, which can be renewed or paid off. \$40 per acre.

No. 46. 135 acres—110 plow land, 20 acres meadow, balance pasture, 25 acres timber pasture. Post, wire and rail fence. Good orchard, 1 well, 1 cistern, 2 dwelling houses, 1 24x32 and 6 rooms and hall, story and half, 1 dwelling 14x24, 3 rooms; 33x44 barn.

No. 72. 117 acres, all fine upland and all in cultivation, 4 miles from County Seat, R. F. D. and telephone; good 4-room house, good barn, fine water and plenty of it at all times, small orchard, about 1 1-2 miles hedge, balance P. & W. fence. All gently rolling. This is a fine little farm at \$47.50 per acre. There is a fine timbered 40, one-half mile distant, which belongs to same party. A 1 land, and if included with the above the whole 157 1-2 acres at \$42.50. This is a bargain. Easy terms.

No. 86. 200 acres of as fine land as in any country, all cultivated. Good P. & W. fence, 100 acres high bottom and 100 acres gently rolling upland; 11-room house, almost new; good 50x68 barn, 4 good wells, 5-acre orchard, about 10 acres of timber blue-grass, 6 miles to County Seat, 1-4 mile to small town; rural route and telephone. Encumbered for 3,500 at 5 per cent, due in 1906, which can be paid or renewed. Price, \$55 per acre.

No. 104. 240 acres, an ideal country home, all in grass except about 20 acres; fine black loam, gently rolling, all hog fence, 2 windmills and other wells, small orchard, small fruits, 1 1-2 story, nearly new, 7-room dwelling; 30x50, nearly new, barn. All outhouses, buggy-house and granary, 2 miles on good road to County Seat. Encumbered for 4,000 at 5 per cent which can be paid at any time. Price, \$67.50.

No. 190. 140 acres—120 in cultivation, fine bottom farm, small orchard, good 4-room house, good 32x36 barn, all outhouses, 7 miles to County Seat. This is one of the corn raisers, or wheat producers, or money getters, no matter what you plant. Price, \$50. There is an 80-acre tract of timber about 1 mile from this, which can be included if desired.

No. 218. 120 acres—100 acres in cultivation, balance in blue-grass timber pasture; all gently rolling, small orchard and small fruits, 2-story 8-room dwelling, fine 36x40 barn, good. All outhouses, granary etc; 3 wells, fine water; 6 miles to County Seat, 1-4 mile to church and school. If you are out after a fine country home in a fine neighborhood, and will pay \$70 per acre to get such a place, this is the one to take a look at. There is no other like it in the county.

No. 243. 159 acres—all cultivated, gently rolling; 9-room, 2-story dwelling; 26x36 barn, good; cattle barn and machinery shed; good fence; R. F. D. and telephone; 1-4 mile to school; 7 miles to County Seat. In fine part of the country. Price, 45.

No. 254. 80 acres—all cultivated, high bottom land; finest of dirt, good fence, 2 wells, 5-room house in fair condition, old barn, 1-2 mile to Wabash railroad station; good town and school. This farm with a little fixing up is worth and will sell for \$75. It can be had for 50 per acre, and if party wishes there is 40 acres adjoining which can be added at same price.

No. 274. 308 acres all except 13 acres timber in cultivation, all gently rolling prairie land, 90 acres grass, balance wheat and corn ground, 2-story dwelling with 1-story L; 8-room dwelling, bathroom, 40x44 barn, hog fence, R. F. D., 5 miles to County Seat. Price, \$52.50.

No. 275. 160 acres—35 acres corn, 40 acres open grass pasture and balance timber grass, good fence, and 15 acres hog fence, new three-room house and porches,

new barn 14x38 and crib, out-houses and small orchard, R. F. D., 2 miles to small town. Easy terms. Price, \$30 per acre.

No. 282. 240 acres—about 20 acres of meadow, about 20 acres of fine timber pasture and balance as good corn or wheat land as can be found; no improvements except good fence, slopes just enough to drain, but no wash or overflow. This is a fine proposition for some one who wishes to make his own improvements on as fine a tract of land as can be found. Price, \$40 per acre and the best of terms.

No. 285. 160 acres—70 acres corn and balance meadow, small tract timber only, all gentle rolling; good 2-story, 5-room house with rock cellar; cistern and well and all outhouses; good 32x50 barn, good fences, 5 miles to Santa Fe R. R. town, R. F. D., and near school and small trading town. This is a fine place for \$50 per acre. The 160 adjoining this farm on the north is finely improved and for sale at \$50 per acre.

No. 289. 280 acres—260 acres cultivated, 20 acres blue-grass timber pasture; nearly all nearly level land; all under post and wire fence and hog fence; good; about 100 acres in corn and balance meadow; one fine dwelling, nearly new, 7 rooms; 1 dwelling, nearly new, 3 rooms, and another dwelling of 5 rooms, which can be made good with little expense; one new barn 36x40; one good barn 20x24; one barn 36x36 and one 36x10; 3 A 1 wells; 3 small but good young orchards; all necessary outbuildings. Adjoins the County Seat on the Wabash R. R. This is a lovely farm and cheap at \$70 per acre.

No. 304. 80 acres all upland, gently rolling, about 5 acres timber, balance cultivated, 30 acres meadow and pasture, 250 bearing trees, 4 room good dwelling, barn 50x60, good outhouses, 2 good wells, good fences, 2 1-2 miles to county seat. Telephone and R. F. D.

No. 307. 125 acres—110 acres cultivated, 15 acres timber, rolling gently, 40 acre meadow, 5 room dwelling, 2 barns 24x40 and 20x24, 3 good wells, good fence, usual outhouses, 150 orchard trees bearing, small fruits, 1 1-2 miles to store and P. O. School 1-2 mile. 6 1-2 miles to county seat.

No. 312. 214 acres—70 acres plowed, 20 acres clover, about 70 timber, 35 acres upland, balance bottom, 6 room dwelling, pantry and closets, 36x36 barn, frame, good, usual outhouses and ice house, small orchard, 3 plank and 2 wire fence and wire fence. 1 mile to railroad depot, 2 1-2 miles to county seat.

No. 313. 77 acres—35 acre meadow, balance corn, fair fence, shade trees in yard, gently rolling upland, 2 living wells and cistern, 2 ponds, 1-2 mile from Catholic church, 1-2 mile to Hamden P. O. and store. Telephone and R. F. D.

No. 315. 160 acres—2 timber pastures all in grass except 20 acres, 5 room dwelling, barn 40x40 with 2 sheds, all out buildings, good fence and cross fences, spring branch in each pasture, 7 wells, pump in kitchen and barn, fine shade trees in front yard. Mail and telephone routes.

I have also a section of fine high bottom land, no improvements, very little timber, fenced, and as fine level corn or wheat land as lies out of doors at 50. I have also a nice stock and grain farm with two sets of improvements, all fenced, partly bottom and partly upland, 520 acres, at \$30. This is a fine sheep farm. I have also 250 acres, with good improvements nearly level upland, at \$35. Also 340 acres with two sets of good improvements, at \$30. Also 340 acres with 2 sets of nice improvements, gently rolling land, good for anything, at \$50. I have all sorts and sizes, from 20 acres to 1,200, and from \$20 to \$100 per acre, every one of which is worth the price asked for it. There is an 800-acre grain farm with improvements that I can sell for \$55 per acre, near city and 1-4 mile to station. Come and see the wheat and corn and convince yourself.

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An infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Morgan of Slater died Friday.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration on the estate of Sarah Catherine Duval, deceased, have been granted me by the Probate Court of Chariton County, Missouri, bearing date June 13, 1905. All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance within one year from the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from having any benefit of said estate; and if such claims are not presented within two years they shall be forever barred.

JAMES DUVALL, Administrator.

I have buyers for Missouri farms. If you wish to sell, list with me or write for particulars. HORACE GRANT, Heist Bldg., Kansas City, Mo.

Mother Gray's Appeal to Women

Mother Gray, a nurse in New York, discovered an aromatic pleasant herb drink for women's ills, called AUSTRALIAN-LEAF. It is the only certain monthly regulator. Cures female weaknesses and Backache, Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles. At all Drugstores or by mail 50 cts. Sample FREE. Address, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

It is a profound mistake to think that everything has been discovered; as well think the horizon the boundary of the world.—Lamerre.

A man wearing the suggestive cognomen of W. R. Ridelid lives up near Mendon. He ought not to have any trouble in getting a job if he would make application to Gov. Jos. W. Folk.